

9689/36	Splenic marginal zone B-cell lymphoma
9680/36	Large B-cell lymphoma
9699/36	Marginal zone B-cell lymphoma, NOS
9702/35	Mature T-cell lymphomas, NOS
9714/37	Large cell lymphoma, T cell and null cell type, anaplastic (<i>note: a combination of phenotypes is coded to higher codes and takes precedence over differentiation</i>)
9823/36	Chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell type
9827/35	Adult T-cell leukemia/lymphoma
9714/37	Large cell lymphoma, T cell and null cell type
9836/36	Precursor B-cell lymphoblastic leukemia

Coding Instructions

1. Code grade/differentiation according to the rules in the *ICD-O-3*, (pages 30-32, 67).
2. For sites other than breast, prostate and kidney, code the tumor grade using the following priority order: 1) terminology; 2) histologic grade; 3) nuclear grade.
3. If grade is not stated in the final pathology diagnosis, use the information in the microscopic section, addendum, or comment to code grade.
4. If more than one grade is recorded for a single tumor, code the highest grade, even if it is a focus.

Example:

Pathology report reads: Grade II adenocarcinoma with a focus of undifferentiated adenocarcinoma. Code the tumor grade as grade 4.

5. Code the grade from the **primary tumor** only, **never from a metastatic site or a recurrence**.
6. Code the grade for all **unknown primaries** to 9 (unknown grade) unless grade is explicit by histology, anaplastic carcinoma (grade = 9)
7. Code the grade of the invasive component when the tumor has **both in-situ** and **invasive** portions. If the **invasive** component **grade** is **unknown**, code the grade as 9 (unknown).
8. Code the information from the **consult** if the specimen is sent to a specialty pathology department for a consult.
9. If there are **multiple pathology consults**, ask the pathologist or physician advisor to determine which information should be used.
10. Do **not code** the grade assigned to **dysplasia**; for example high grade dysplasia (adenocarcinoma in situ) would be coded to 9 (unknown grade).